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Assistant Commissioner for Patents **BOX PATENT APPLICATION** Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL FOR A NEWLY EXECUTED ORIGINAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) for:

| | BROADCASTING INFORMATION AND PROVIDING DATA ACCESS OVER THE ERNET TO INVESTORS AND MANAGERS ON DEMAND |
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| 1. | This is a new Utility Design Plant patent application. |
| 2. | The papers enclosed to obtain a filing date are as follows: 46 Pages of Application including: 29 Pages of Disclosure 8 Pages of Claims 1 Page of Abstract; and 8 Sheets of drawings containing 7 Figures The enclosed drawing(s) are photograph(s), and there is also attached a PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPH(S) AS DRAWING(S). |
| 3. | Declaration for Patent Application OR Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney Enclosed and is executed by all inventors. Not Enclosed. This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration and paying the filing fees. |
| 4. | Language ☐ English ☐ Non-English This application is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.52(d) and §608.01 of the MPEP. Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the verified English translation and the processing |

| 5. | Assignment | | | |
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| | An assignment of Form Cover Sheet | the invention to, and a , are enclosed. | PTO Form-1595, Recordation | |
| | An assignment wil | ation is currently owned byll be filed for recordation at a later purposes of publication. | , of date. Please recognize | |
| 6. | 6. Priority - foreign applications under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) or §365(b) or PCT international applications under 35 U.S.C. §365(a) designating at least one country than the U.S. | | | |
| | | ng foreign application(s) is claimed | | |
| | Country | Application No. | Filed | |
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| | Certified copy: is attac | ched. will follow. | | |
| 7. | Priority based on provisional application(s) - 35 U.S.C. §119(e) | | | |
| | Priority of the following | ng provisional application(s) is clai | med: | |
| | Application No. | | Filed | |
| | 60/286,002 | | April 25, 2001 | |
| <u> </u> | A. Relate Back - 35 U | J.S.C. §119(e) | | |
| | | e specification by inserting before lication claims priority of copending | | |
| 8. | Small entity status | | | |
| | This application c | laims small entity status under 37 (| CFR 81 27 | |

9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

| | CLAIMS | FOR FEE CALCULA | ATION | Ĭ | |
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| | Number Filed | Number Extra | | at Rate of | Basic Fee Utility \$710.00 Design \$310.00 |
| Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c)) | 34 - 20 = | 14 | \$ | 18.00 each= | +\$ 252.00 |
| Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b)) | 3 - 3 = | 0 | \$ | 80.00 each= | +\$ 00.00 |
| Multiple dependent claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. §1.16(d)) | | | \$ | 270.00 | ÷ 0 |
| - | | | | SUB-TOTAL = | +\$ 962.00 |
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| 10. | Fee Payment | t |
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| Not Enclosed. NO FEE IS BEING PAID BY CHECK OR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT AT THIS TIME. This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration and paying the filing fees. |
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Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1349. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

| 12. | Add | litional papers enclosed: |
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| | | Certificate under 35 USC 122(b) Combined Power of Attorney by Assignee and Certificate under 37 CFR 3.73(b) Change of Correspondence Address Preliminary Amendment Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO- 1449, documents as listed Declaration of Biological Deposit Submission of "Sequence Listing," computer readable copy and/or amendment |
| | | pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid |
| | | sequence. |

Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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